

Village Council Regular Meeting

Minutes of regular council meeting held on the 10th day of June and proceedings of the Court of Revision held on 19th day of June were read and adopted as written at the regular monthly meeting held on August 14, 1952 at 8 p.m. in the Village Office, Irma.

Councillors present: W. N. Frickleton and Floyd Fuder.

Correspondence

Dept. of Municipal Affairs re: Approval of Messrs. Patriquin, Duncan, McClary, McClary and Co. subject to the signing of the official oath. Filed.

Dept. of Public Health re Establishment of parts of Blocks E and D, Plan 1560 W, NW quarter Sec. 27-45-9-W4th. Survey complete for signatures of various owners. Filed.

Nadon Paving Ltd. re sidewalk construction. Filed.

King, Coon, Phelan and Co. re survey consultants. Filed.

J. W. Doze A.S. re survey subdivision of parts of Blocks E and D, Plan 1560 W, NW quarter Sec. 27-45-9-W4th. Survey complete for signatures of various owners. Filed.

Deputy Provincial Treasurer re Municipal Assistance Act. Amount received by the Village of Irma. Equalization grant \$441.48 Tax education Subsidy \$889.79 Municipal Revenue grant \$946.89 \$2,278.16

Police report received and accepted. Arising therefrom Secretary instructed to contact Attorney General Dept. concerning policing outside Village limits and responsibility therefore. Motion by F.A. Fuder.

Financial statement for the month of June amounting to \$360.65 be approved and paid.

Financial statement for July—Receipts \$5152.98. Disbursements \$360.65. Bank \$6251.02. Cash on hand deposited Aug. 1, 1952 \$444.16. Outstanding cheque \$122.90. Net balance July 31 \$6572.58. Comm. Trust \$205.69. Agri. Trust \$31.22. Frickleton—statement for July be accepted and that accounts payable amounting to \$543.05 be passed for payment.

Fire equipment examined and found in good order. Frickleton—adjourn.

Northern Nuggets

Owing to the polio quarantine, no church service was held at Albert on Sunday.

Miss Edith Jones has been visiting friend in Edgerton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Miskimmin of Wainwright spent the Labor Day week-end with their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lovig.

Mr. Guy Strand of Edmonton is renewing old acquaintances in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Prosser and sons—Lorne and Bobbie of Manville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Erling Larson.

Mrs. Louis Larson was pleasantly surprised on Sunday evening when a few of her friends with gifts and lunch, dropped in to wish her many happy returns of the day. Those calling included Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lovig and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Lukens, Miss Irene Larson and Malcolm Frickleton.

Harvesting and canning operations seem to be the chief topics for conversation these days.

Mrs. Stanley Jones and Rowland spent an enjoyable holiday at Saskatoon and Rosetown, Sask., returning with Mr. Jones who motored down during the week-end.

Messrs. John and Harley Bars were business visitors in Wetaskiwin last week.

The Allen Bros. are owners of a new International truck.

We have had a preview of Miss Edith Jones' colored films of her trip north and are looking forward to a repeat and complete showing, if possible, at Albert school during the Thanksgiving or Christmas holidays. Please note—wool for blankets should be turned in to Mrs. Claude Ramsay in the near future as shipment will be made this month.

Easterly Echoes

Mrs. J. McNaughton of Read Island, B.C., is visiting here at the home of her daughter Mrs. W. Sanders.

The Battle River W.I. met at the home of Mrs. Morse on Thurs. Mrs. W. Sanders won the draw. Plans were made to hold a Home Cooking Sale including eggs and cream at the Irma Food Market on Sat., September 13 at 3:30 p.m.

GISELE MacKENZIE



Gisele MacKenzie, popular Canadian vocalist who has made good in the U.S. in recent years, has returned to her native land to carry out an extended personal appearance tour. Earlier this month she was heard on a special CBC broadcast welcoming her home. Since moving to California over a year ago she has been featured regularly on Bob Crosby's Club 15 and the Mario Lanza Show on CBC Dominion. She has also made several records for Capitol.

HOME ECONOMIST NEWSNOTES

Shirley Holmes, Wainwright, Alta.

Hello Everyone!

This is the first time I have had a chance to say this to such a large number of people. As you very likely know I am taking Miss Reed's place in Wainwright. I do hope you will write or call in any time for help with your sewing or cooking; your housework or starting a girl's club. I will be pleased to assist you.

That's the familiar tune this week.

Then of course there's that old question "What will I pack for lunch?" Children want something good to eat—but it's up to you, the mothers, to see they get the energy giving and nutritious foodings necessary for good health!

Something good to eat can mean hot soup, sandwiches (enriched or whole wheat bread if possible), filled with meat, fish, cheese or eggs. If there's no vegetable in the sandwich filling and if you have time, pack salad in a paper cup—or celery wrapped in a wet paper towel, then in waxed paper. Milk should appear in soup or cocoa or by itself in a vacuum bottle.

Something sweet could be fruit, fresh, canned or stewed. Or tapioca, rice or cornstarch pudding or baked custard. Very things by adding cookies, plain cake, salted nuts, a candy bar or dates. To make lunchbox packing easier—keep equipment in one spot—paper napkins, paper cups, waxed paper, aluminum foil, containers for salads, desserts, paper or plastic spoons and forks. Sandwiches, fruit, dessert can be prepared the night before—then stored tightly wrapped or covered in a cool, dry place.

Remember

To scrub and air metal lunch boxes daily. Wash the thermos with a mild solution, scald and leave uncooked.

Send for the free booklet on "Lunch Boxes and Hot School Lunches." It gives suggestions for sandwich fillings, menus for the lunch box and recipes for beverages, soup, main dishes and desserts.

Do you have some left-over painting jobs that you just HAVE to do this fall? With ordinary household paints and a collection of familiar objects you can create unusual designs for your walls, floors, furniture and fabrics.

Kitchen floor freeboards of the walls liable to get discolored can be stippled with steel wool. Several colors can be used. The paint should be allowed to dry between colors.

For walls, horizontal and vertical lines make a plaid type of pattern when you use a cardboard tube mounted on a paint roller, then wound with cord. The cord, unevenly spaced, gives a very in-

Southern Sayings

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jochems of Carstairs were visiting their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. P. Spooner and girls.

The next W.I. meeting will be held at Mrs. E. Tomlinson's on Thursday, Sept. 18. Roll Call, A parcel for the Mystery Table. Hostesses, Mrs. Spooner and Mrs. Reber. Raffle, Mrs. H. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Long and Mr. and Mrs. M. Allred motored to Taber over the week-end.

The Strawberry Plains W.I. will hold their Bazaar and Sale of Home Cooking in Hedley's Hall on Sat., October 25. Everybody welcome. The wet weather again this fall has retarded the harvesting for the time being. We hope it will soon be sunny and warm again so the harvest can be cleaned up.

"THE TIMES" GETS AROUND

Letters have arrived recently from various readers of The Times who live a great distance from here. We thought it might be of interest to quote a few items. S/Lt. H. S. Lison, DFC, sent us his new address. He is now in Paris, France but in spite of being in residence in such a charming city he still wants us to send our Irma paper.

Mr. McKean in England has been on holiday in the Lake District and sent us a lovely folder with views of Lakeland. That reminds us that Marjorie McKean is planning a wedding this month. Please send us an account to publish.

We had a note from Mr. J. Kreitz of Kolin, Louisiana. He enclosed his subscription for another year and added "I am in your country whenever I receive the Irma Times."

Glen-Coa Cleanings

Mrs. Jack Haycock is a patient at Wainwright hospital. Vancouver is holidaying here by giving Ralph a hand with the harvesting.

Mr. Alfred Larson of Vancouver is visiting his mother and the Spring family for a couple of weeks.

Camrose Lutheran College opened with a large enrolment on Tues., Sept. 9. Those attending from our district are Norma Likness, Avis Satre, Pat Pedel, Erling Nilson, and Gordon Hollinger.

Lilly Mackay and Warren Funder will be attending high school in Irma.

Church service at Sharon is at 11 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 14.

Jarrow News

Mrs. Carter and Veiv, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Carter of Edmonton renewed old acquaintances in the Batts district recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Yakes of Chilliwack, B.C., have returned to their farm for the harvesting season. We also see that he brought back a lovely new Hudson.

The sympathy of the entire district is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Meakins on the death of their son Mervin.

The NWJ gas camp has taken up temporary residence north of town, where work on the pipeline is in full progress.

Services will be held in Jarrow United church on Sunday at 11 a.m. Jarrow School will be opening on Wednesday, September 17.

Miss Ellen Lindberg is attending school at Wainwright.

CORRECTION . . .

In the wedding write-up last week of "Albert—Long," the Times had the surname of the groom wrong. The groom's name is Allred and not "Albert" or "Alfred." The Times wishes Mr. and Mrs. ALLRED many years of wedded bliss.

Work is in progress for the construction of new sidewalks in town. These should be a great improvement.

(interesting and novelty effect. Be sure to use tape on paper to define the wall area to be painted.)

For decorating furniture and fabrics, be sure to watch for my column next week.

Wedding Bells

FORSBERG MacKAY

At a pretty afternoon wedding solemnized at the Ebenezer Baptist Church, Wetaskiwin, Saturday, August 9, Elizabeth MacKay, second eldest daughter of Mrs. F. Withall and the late J. G. MacKay of Irma, became the bride of Eric Forsberg, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Forsberg of Wetaskiwin. Pastor E. Nordstrom of Wildwood officiated.

Given in marriage by her brother Jack, the bride wore a floor length gown of ivory satin, featuring a full gathered skirt with lace inserts, fitted bodice with net yoke and long Lilly post sleeves. Her finger-tip veil was held in place by a coronet of white waxed orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. Her only jewelry was a single strand pearl necklace, a gift of the groom.

As matron of honor, Mrs. Ellen Berg, sister of the bride, wore a pink sheer floor length gown with matching chapel veil and head-dress. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations and yellow snapdragons.

The best man was the groom's brother, Gus. Mr. George Nordstrom and Mr. Torleif Larson acted as the guests.

During the signing of the register Miss Joan Mackay, sister of the bride sang "O Perfect Love" accompanied by Miss Alice Broughton who also played the wedding music.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception to 36 guests was held in the church basement. The bride's table was laid in linen and was centred by a three-tiered wedding cake, flanked by white candles and bouquets of pansies.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Withall chose a dress of royal blue crepe and she wore a corsage of pink rose buds. Mrs. Forsberg wore navy crepe and her corsage was of pink roses.

Following the reception the couple left for a short honeymoon trip to Pigeon Lake. The bride's going-away outfit consisted of a grey dress-maker suit with pink accessories.

On their return the newlyweds will make their home on the farm of the groom north of Gwynne.

Out of town guests included Mrs. Withall and Francis, Jack, Don, Joan and Lily MacKay, Mr. and Mrs. T. Larson and family and Irene Younger, all of Irma; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leucy and Mrs. Miller of Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. George Nordstrom and Axel Nordstrom of Westrose; Helen Berkholz and Ingrid Bucholdt of Camrose; Viola Wenzel of Westlock and Lorie Breitkreuz of Falin.

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Drought In Australia

WITH A BOUNTIFUL CROP THIS YEAR which promises to tax storage and transportation facilities, most Canadian farmers have little fault to find with weather conditions and the other factors which affect the success of the season's crop. Good harvests have been the order in this country for some time now and have not only brought prosperity to the farmers but have contributed substantially to the need for food in other parts of the world. In such times drought, which in the past has caused such havoc with the land here, seems remote, but few people who lived in Western Canada during the great drought period of the 1930's will fail to sympathize with Australian farmers, who are now faced with that problem.

Cattle Are Being Lost

Reports from Australia tell that nearly a million square miles of land North of the Tropic of Capricorn are without moisture because of failure of the monsoons, and thousands of cattle are being lost. Cattle production is to the farmers of that area what wheat is to the farmers of the Canadian prairies, and the losses this year are already grave. The loss will be felt not only this year, but for several years to come, as the depletion of stock now will affect the size of future herds. While man cannot yet control the rainfall, the 300,000 Australian farmers in the afflicted area are asking that better railway connections and well watered stock routes be provided to help move cattle out when there is insufficient rainfall.

Anxious To Produce More

As the Canadian farmers are helping to solve the world food problem by producing large quantities of wheat, the Australians are anxious to produce more to supply the needs of other countries. While weather conditions cannot be controlled, experience has shown that drought can be partly overcome if proper measures are taken. It is a problem which is faced by almost every agricultural country at some time, and it has in the past been the cause of misery and disaster in many places. Just now the farmers of Northern Australia are faced already with a loss of 100,000 tons of meat which would have been sent to overseas markets, and Canadian will sympathize with the Australians over the present situation there.



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WOLF BOOMS HILLS WITH SADDLE PONY

SAULT STE. MARIE.—There is a timber wolf in the Anjigami lake area, 250 miles north of here, that apparently has never heard of a "lone wolf."

Chief Ranger Byron Smith at Sand Lake in the area, reports this particular timber wolf nightly roams the hills with a saddle pony, the wolf trotting close to the pony's heels. At dawn they part.

The wolf also feeds regularly at a garbage dump with two bears.

Canadians Still Spending Freely

OTTAWA.—Canadians tapered off their buying during June for the first time this year, but were still spending at a rate well above 1951.

In the first six months they spent \$28,000,000 more than in the corresponding period last year for everything from furniture to clothing and radios to washing machines.

If they keep it up, Canadian buying will total more than ten billion dollars by the end of the year.

The Bureau of Statistics reported that retail sales in June totaled \$978,263,000, compared with \$940,218,000 in June last year. This brought the six-month total to a whopping \$5,265,871,000 compared with \$4,980,180,000 in the first six months of 1951.

The bureau figures showed, however, that the June figure was down 7.1 per cent. from the \$1,053,488,000 spent in May. Retail sales have increased every month this year up to May, the highest spending month so far.

REASON WHY TRAFFIC WAS MOVING SLOWLY

SYRACUSE, N.Y.—The busy thoroughfare looked like speeders' territory. The police set up their electric timers and sat and waited.

Lots of cars passed—all moving sedately within the limits.

Patrolman Nicholas Margiaso guarded his motorcycle as speeded around the block. His catch: Two youngsters with a sign reading: "Danger, slow down. Police ahead."

SELECTED Recipe

BANANA BRAN LOAF

A moist loaf, flecked with the enriching color of bran and banana. Cuts well.

1 1/2 cups once-sifted pastry flour
1/2 cup or 1 1/2 cups once-sifted all-purpose flour

2 teaspoons Magic Baking Powder
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 egg, well beaten
1 cup crisp breakfast bran cereal
1/2 cups mashed ripe banana
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1 teaspoon vanilla
4 tablespoons butter or Blue Bonnet Margarine, melted
2 tablespoons chopped Brazil nuts

Grease an 8 1/2 x 4 1/2-inch loaf pan and line with greased paper.

Preheat oven to 325 deg. F. (rather slow).

Mix and sift twice, then sift into a bowl, the flour, Magic Baking Powder, baking soda and salt. Combine well-beaten egg, bran cereal, banana, lemon juice, vanilla and margarine or butter.

Make a well in the flour mixture and add liquids; mix thoroughly. Turn into prepared pan and sprinkle with Brazil nuts.

Bake in preheated oven 65 minutes.

1/2 spread with butter or margarine. Yield: 1 loaf. 3001

Had Eczema Around Ankles For Years

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WELCOME NEWS TO WILLIAM—Among the happy hockey greats who learned they have been chosen to the International Hall of Fame at Kingston, was "Bill" Cook, (above). Bill is the only one of the greatest "Pamers" still active in the game. He is coach of the New York Rangers, the team with which he gained his greatest success.

Fish Being Saved By Road Hacked Through Bush Land

HAZELTON, B.C.—A road hacked 60 miles through wild country near here in a desperate attempt to save millions of fish from destruction is paying off.

The road leads to the big rockslide on the Babine River that constituted one of the most serious threats ever to face the northern British Columbia fishing industry.

The slide came down a lonely canyon nearly a year ago, blocking hundreds of thousands of sockeye from their natural spawning grounds in Babine Lake.

The Federal Fisheries Department pushed a road through practically unknown country to get at the slide and to devise some means of getting the fish through. The fish do not change their spawning habits, and if they can't reach their natural spawning area they will batter themselves to death in the attempt.

Fish were only "trickling" into Babine Lake earlier this year, but fisheries officials now report salmon are completing the five-day run from the slide area to the lake at a rate of more than 5,000 a day.

"It appears certain that at least the vast proportion of the run will get through safely this season," said one official.

A crew at the slide dismantled pools in the river, creating natural fish ladders. At one point they had to get the fish past a 12-foot fall.

Biologists and engineers are seeking a way to clear a permanent channel for the fish. This may mean dredging a new channel or constructing big permanent fish ladders.

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"PERMANENTLY!"

Funny and Otherwise

"She told me she's just up preaching thirty."

"Yes, but she didn't say from what direction."

"What are all these quotation marks on your examination paper, Thompson?"

"Courtesy to the boy on my right, sir."

Said the film actor, disappointed at not being called on to make a speech at the farewell luncheon to a big cinema executive before his departure to Hollywood: "What makes it worse, old man, is that I spent all morning in the make-up department having a lump put in my throat."

Supper had been ready for a long time when the henpecked husband stole into the house and hung up his hat. "Henry," said his wife from the dining-room, "what do you mean by being two hours late?"

"But, darling, I've been run over," he protested from the hall. "Well, what of it?" she demanded coldly. "It doesn't take two hours to get run over."

The best way to fight with any woman is with your hat! Grab it and run.

Friend: "Hullo! You don't half look pleased with yourself."

Prospective Bridegroom: "I am. I've just been half promised half a house."

Legally the husband is the head of the house and the pedestrian has the right of way. Both are fairly safe unless they try to exercise their rights.

"How did you lose your job at the dress shop, my dear?"

"I'd tried twenty dresses on a woman, and she said: 'I think I'd look nicer in something flowing,' so I asked her why she didn't jump in the river."

On holiday in Italy, he wrote to his fiancée. "I'm having a great time; Florence is delightful."

She replied: "Don't hurry back. I'm having a jolly good time with Harry."

Two girl friends met in the street one day. "I hear you've broken off your engagement," said one of them.

"Oh, my dear, yes," answered the other. "Jack simply became impossible. He criticized the way I dressed, objected to my friends and always expected me to be at his beck and call. Then, on top of all that, he suddenly went off and married another girl. So I simply made up my mind to have nothing more to do with him."

Three Explorers Who Returned Safely From Nahanni Valley In Far North Describe Their Trip

EDMONTON.—Legends of death stalking those who brave the wilderness of the far northern Nahanni Valley may have had some foundation, but the dangers are not from supernatural forces. That's the firm belief of R. M. Dick Shamp, young chemical engineer from Washington, D.C.

He and two companions—writer, photographer Norman Thomas of Albuquerque, N.M., and biologist Hovio Martin of Yale University—won out against the elements in a grueling exploration of the famed valley this summer.

"If trappers and prospectors have failed to return from the valley it's because they were not as fortunate as we were," says Shamp. "There is good reason for their failure to return. It's the kind of country where one mistake can mean your life."

They financed the trip by a commission from the U.S. Defence Department to test a new food ration pack, and an assignment to write scientific reports on their findings.

The trio motored from Washington to Watson Lake in the Yukon, where northern aviator C. C. F. Daidie picked them up for the 150 mile flight to their base camp at Glacier Lake, some 180 miles upstream from the mouth of the Nahanni River. The river is in the Northwest Territories and about 700 miles northwest of Edmonton.

They started from Glacier Lake because much of the Nahanni Valley had been covered by prospectors and trappers, and they wanted to go through a region less likely to have been seen previously.

When they got going on foot each carried a 75-pound pack with a rifle and other equipment. Shamp cracked:

TWO YOUNG STUDENTS COMPLETE CHEAP TRIP

MONTREAL.—Paul Le Siege and Georges Hooper, teen-aged students have returned from a 35-day, 7,000-mile tour of western Canada that cost them less than \$50.

The same pair last year toured the Gaspé peninsula for \$7.50. This summer they roamed the west, sleeping in a pup tent or emergency tourist accommodations.

They took in the Calgary Stampede.

A porcupine cannot shoot its quills.



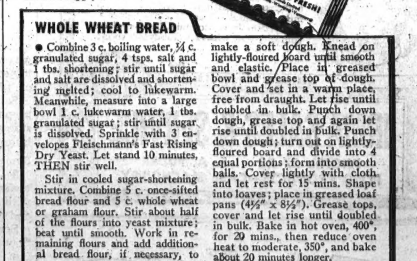
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WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

Combine 3 c. boiling water, 1/4 c. granulated sugar, 4 tps. salt and 1 lb. shortening; stir until sugar and salt are dissolved and shortening melted; cool to lukewarm. Meanwhile, measure into a large bowl 1 c. lukewarm water, 1 lb. granulated sugar; stir until sugar is dissolved. Sprinkle with 3 envelopes Fleischmann's Fast Rising Dry Yeast. Let stand 10 minutes. THEN stir well.

Stir in cooled sugar-shortening mixture. Combine 5 c. unbleached bread flour and 5 c. whole wheat or Graham flour. Stir about half of the flour into yeast mixture; beat until smooth. Work in remaining flour and add additional bread flour, if necessary, to make a soft dough. Knead on lightly-floured board until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl and grease top of dough. Cover and set in a warm place, free from draught. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down dough; turn out on lightly-floured board and divide into 4 equal portions; form into smooth balls. Cover lightly with cloth, and let rest for 15 minutes. Shape into loaves; place in greased loaf pans (4 1/2 x 8 1/2). Grease tops, cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in hot oven, 400°, for 20 minutes, then reduce oven heat to moderate, 350°, and bake about 20 minutes longer.



—By Chuck Thurston

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY

BANKING BUSINESS

By YEGA BROWN

John Grant Soon Realized
He Was Doing Banking
Business With Ellie.

THE ledger-keeper smiled as he handed Ellie the savings book. People always smiled at Ellie. Could be her dancing eyes, or even her cute tip-tilted nose; but more likely it was the way she smiled at them. Even John Grant smiled back. A slow, quiet smile which meant more to Ellie than all the other smiles in the world.

Ellie glanced at the figures in the book. One thousand dollars! Was a time she would have thrilled with excited happiness. It was enough for the cost—the Persian lamb coat. But this morning she had other business, important business. Before the door marked "ACCOUNTANT" and in smaller letters, "Mr. John Grant," Ellie paused.

He might not like her coming but she must talk to him. Soon it would be too late, he would be gone to manage that bank down east. She had to make him understand before he left that she was not just a silly, fun-loving girl, but a serious person. "No, I was no good trying to talk to him at their boarding house, he wouldn't take her seriously then. He would treat her as a child, the way he always did. If as seven years made him so much older!

She would show him she could attend to business, the way a banker's wife should. Then maybe—"There's nothing to be scared of," she told herself. "You're here on business—banking business."

"It's not a social call," Mr. Grant, she said hurriedly. "It's business—banking business!"

"Of course," he said seriously, but there was a glint in his eyes which made Ellie feel that, deep down, he was laughing at her.

Ellie sat on the edge of the chair and held out the book. John noted the balance; his eyes ran over the regular deposits.

"I wanted your advice, Mr. Grant," she said solemnly. "Advice about investment."

"We shall be glad to be of service, Miss Golding. I must congratulate you on your systematic saving."

"Well, I wanted a coat—a Persian lamb coat. They are—"

"But that has nothing to do with it," reddening. "I mean—well, I am older now and a girl has to consider the future. How would you advise investing the money?"

John put the tips of his fingers together. "I think I should know more about the coat first. I take it you don't want the coat now?"

"Oh, I do—I mean—"

"She looked at John suspiciously. Was he making fun of her again?"

"Well, I did save the money for a coat," she blurted out. "Whenever I was tempted to spend it, I just pictured myself in the coat. You understand, don't you?"

John was silent, doodling. Ellie felt she was making a mess of things. She had come to talk about investments—stocks and bonds—and here she was talking about a Persian lamb coat. Now he would think her sillier than ever.

She started again desperately. "I thought I should consult you, Mr. Grant, before I spent all that money."

"That depends," said John continuing his doodling. "on your future plans."

"Of course, I could leave it in the bank."

"We might need it to set up house," said John.

Ellie colored furiously. John stiffened, rose and then sat on his desk as if for support. "Married!" he said. "I had no idea that you were contemplating—"

"Oh, I'm not," said Ellie. "At least—"

"Well, I'm nearly twenty-one and a girl should begin to consider—"

She stopped abruptly, flushing angrily. He couldn't be so stupid. She had been fooling herself when she thought he cared. She rose, chin in air. "I came here thinking that at least you would talk to me seriously about banking business. But it seems I was mistaken!"

They reached the door together, but his hand was first on the knob.

"Miss Golding—Ellie," he said. "There is nothing I want more than to talk to you seriously. I've been trying to ask you something ever since I knew I was going east, but you are never serious more than five seconds at a time."

"That's your fault," Ellie cried indignantly. "When I try to be serious, you just make fun of me."

In the silence of the office she could hear her heartbeats galloping past the ticking of the clock. She edged closer.

"You wanted to ask?" she said. Minutes later the phone rang.

"Tell them you're busy, John," Ellie said. "I'm here on business, remember—banking business."

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Latest Survey Shows Record World Crops

WASHINGTON—Abundant wheat and rye crops may give the world a record-breaking breadbasket harvest this year, the United States department of agriculture said.

The record, set in 1938, is 248,000,000 short tons.

Conditions were recorded as good to record-breaking almost everywhere. A notable exception was Soviet Russia, from which only sketchy information is available.

Record wheat crops are predicted for the U.S.—1,900,000,000 bushels—and Canada—636,000,000.

Argentina, where last year's crop was a virtual failure, reports the outlook good at the start of the growing season.

Australia expected a 10,000,000-bushel decline from last year's 161,000,000 figures.

Belgium has been the site of more battles than any other European country.

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Pilot Who Made Canada's First Trip With Airmail Still Flying

HIGH RIVER, Alta. — John Palmer and an old girl named Jenny have a pretty solid spot in Canadian aviation history. On June 27, 1922, to the plaudits of a Lethbridge crowd, they took off with 150 pounds of envelopes on Canada's first sanctioned airmail flight.

Old Jenny, the airplane, has long since made her last landing. But the 66-year-old Palmer still sees airmail and airmen as the future of the air.

The night of June 27 Palmer made Weyburn, Sask., for his first stop. He took off again next morning but after checking through customs at Portia, N.D., he was over Minot when Jenny developed a wheeze.

Palmer landed, repaired Jenny's ailing valves and took off on a test flight. A woman drove onto his landing field to get a better look and Palmer wrecked Jenny's undercarriage trying to avoid the car.

The mail was delivered to Ottawa by train. Palmer took Jenny back to Lethbridge on a duster and that was the end of Canada's first airmail flight.

Palmer served with the Royal Flying Corps in the First World War and afterwards helped to form Southern Alberta Air Lines.

The Alberta government in those days—as now—furnished liquor advertising. Palmer filed this gap for the manufacturer of a product called Purple Label beer by buying a purple aircraft to deliver the stuff and take distributors on courtesy flights. From that grew Western Airways.

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WESTERN BRIEFS

Sole Books Revenue

EDMONTON.—The Alberta government sold crown-held oil and gas leases on 26 parcels of land for a total of \$1,109,379.

The transactions concluded the second 1952 sale of government leases and brought revenue from this source to date this year to \$17,891,921.

Fawn For Park

WEYBURN.—Centre of attraction in Weyburn was a three-month-old fawn apparently an orphan, caught by game warden Stan Bakewell.

The young orphan was bottle-fed and given lumps of sugar. Captured in the Roche Perce area, the fawn was taken to Moose Jaw where it will be cared for in the wild animal park.

Proved Good Shot

RED DEER, Alta.—In this Mother Goose story, it was the grandmother who pumped out the big, bad wolf.

Mrs. Lola Hanesy of the Richman district, 50 miles west of here, was relaxing on her front porch when a wolf wandered near the house.

She calmly reached for her rifle and drew a bead. "Thanks to 'one shot' Hanesy, the wolf population of the Richman district has decreased by one.

Dude On His Life

CALOON, Sask.—A naturalist, H. H. Pittman of Wauchope, has compiled a list of 106 different species of birds seen in the Wauchope district, of which 47 have nested there.

Mr. Pittman also is compiling data on wild flowers.

Has Building Boom

THIRDALE, Sask.—An unprecedented building boom has come to this northeastern Saskatchewan town this summer. Value of construction is expected to exceed \$250,000.

Protection Has Paid

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask.—The biggest and most popular of Canada's big game animals, moose, are coming back into Saskatchewan after a long absence because of overhunting. Now they are protected.

Another Oil Well

RESTON, Alta.—Preparations are going ahead for the drilling of an oil well in this district. Drilling equipment was moved out from Tilton, Man., to the farm of W. R. Beatty, three miles south and two miles east of Reston, by The Owen Drilling Co. The mineral rights on this land are owned by Mr. Beatty.

Primitive Custom

Some primitive peoples kill all twins as soon as they are born because twins are believed to bring bad luck. Other tribes, however, regard twins as good luck twins.

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NEW KIND OF SEDATIVE

THE HAGUE.—The Dutch state airlines have hired a chicken as the latest addition to its aircrew staff. The hen perches on the backs of elephants being flown in the air freight service the line operates for soon.

The idea is to calm the elephants' "air nerves".

Actions speak louder than words

THE TILERS

Belgium has been the site of more battles than any other European country.

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Asks Separate Consideration Of Grain Rate

REGINA.—The Saskatchewan government has asked the federal transport board to consider the railways' request for domestic grain haul rate increases separately from their general application for a freight rate hike.

Municipal Affairs Minister L. F. McIntosh, who sent the request in a telegram, said domestic grain rates should be considered separately because they have no connection with the general application.

The grain rates were also of great concern to the processors of western grain—such as the flour mills and the feed companies—and the feeders of domestic prairie grain—for instance in British Columbia and Ontario.

Both the domestic grain rate application and the general application for a seven per cent. increase are to be heard by the board at hearings beginning Sept. 22. The hearings on the general application for a further nine per cent. rate boost are to be held in November.

Mr. McIntosh, minister in charge of the provincial freight rate services division, said the domestic grain rate proposal could mean an increase of up to 70 per cent. based on distance.

"We therefore felt justified in asking that this matter be dealt with separately," he said.

Text of the governmental wire follows, in part:

"In view of strong feeling developing in western Canada on issue of proposed increase on domestic grain rates, government of Saskatchewan strongly urges that this issue be decided by itself and not part of the general application on Sept. 22. It is respectfully submitted that the issue can be more effectively and satisfactorily dealt with if treated by itself."

Son Of Indian Chief Is Now Evangelist

REGINA.—A great-grandson of Chief Sitting Bull of the Sioux tribe, who was a dancer in Broadway shows, a movie actor and a touring singer before becoming an evangelist, appeared on a musical program at a tabernacle here recently.

He is Big Chief White Feather Sitting Bull of the Pine Ridge reservation, South Dakota.

Born in Iowa, the son of Chief Jim Many Raines Sitting Bull, White Feather spent his early childhood attending reservation schools. He started his musical education at Dartmouth College and went to New York, Germany and Italy to continue his studies. He is fluent in five languages.

He toured in grand opera and returned to New York to play Broadway. White Feather later went to Hollywood where he appeared in a number of silent pictures and some talkies.

On becoming a Christian, he left the entertainment world and went back to college. He now holds a bachelor's degree in arts, a master's degree in music and a doctorate in theology.

Since 1940 he has travelled between Cuba and Canada, ministering mostly to Indians. White Feather, became chief in his own right in 1935 on the death of his father. On his death the tribe will give up the ancient tradition of chiefs.

"We are full citizens now," said White Feather. "There's no further need of a chief in our tribe."

Delicious!

"SALATA"

TEA

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MAGIC BAKING POWDER

By Les Carroll

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Locals

Mrs. E. Stockton left on the flyer last Friday for Winnipeg, Man., to visit relatives and friends. Also to attend the wedding of her nephew Mr. G. C. Cartwright and Miss Florence Archibell of Vancouver on September 12.

Mrs. A. Owen, Doris, Ernie and Connie returned from a holiday trip with Mrs. Owen's brother and brother and sister-in-law and other relatives in Oregon. Also, a trip with Mrs. Owen's brother and sister-in-law to the California red woods and trees of mystery, returning through Wyoming and Yellowstone Park.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nagy nee Ethel Tate of Grande Prairie on September 1, a baby girl, Roberta Margaret. A sister for Sherrill Dianne.

Mr. John Nolan who was in Wainwright suffering from four broken ribs and other injuries received when he had an accident while raking hay, is now well enough recovered to be out and about once more.

We are sorry that a temporary illness made it impossible for Alice Enger to follow out her plans to begin training as a nurse in a Calgary hospital this fall. However, Alice has resumed her duties at Wainwright hospital and plans to enter at Calgary in the January class.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peterson of Edmonton attended the funeral of Robert Kirkman on September 3. Elizabeth Archer of Provost spent last week here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Reads.

Miss Charlotte Milne has begun her nurses' training in the University hospital. There are 60 girls in the new fall class.

Mrs. G. Hurst motored to Athabasca to visit her daughter Mrs. Clesson. Young Jerry Clesson came back to Irma with his grandmother when she returned on Sat. last.

Mrs. V. Torrance is enjoying a visit from her mother Mrs. Hutchinson of Vermilion.

Mr. L. A. Johnson feels benefited from treatment received at Edmonton and is expected home shortly.

The W.I. Tag Day for the Blind will be held on Saturday, Sept. 20. The Junior W.A. members have been busy painting and decorating the basement of the United church. They have made such a wonderful improvement that members of the Men's Club have become inspired and are making plans to give similar treatment to the main body of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jones and Rowland took a holiday trip in August to Saskatoon and Rose-town, Sask.

Mrs. Clarence Lovig, formerly Jean Elford, and her two sons, spent a few days here last week with Mrs. John Ostad while Clarence was on a business trip in Saskatchewan. At the end of the week Mr. A. H. Locke who was also visiting at Irma returned with them to the city.

Mrs. Burrell has more orders for animal painting and will be a busy woman for some time to come.

The weather has everyone guessing these days—even the weather bureau can't get its forecast straight. Better those lads should go out stooking. For better or worse, the weather will always take care of itself but not the bundle.

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The opening of school was again postponed here this week owing to some severe polo cases at Jarow. There was also no Sunday School at the United Church Sunday.

The September meeting of St. Mary's W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. R. McFarland Jr. on Thursday, September 18 at 3 p.m.

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